

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4505, AS REPORTED
(COMMERCE, JUSTICE, SCIENCE, AND RELATED AGENCIES
APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2022)**

OFFERED BY MS. PLASKETT OF VIRGIN ISLANDS

At the end of title II (before the short title), insert the following:

“SEC. __. None of the funds made available by this Act may be used by the Department of Justice to argue, in the conduct of any litigation to which the United States, or an agency or officer thereof is a party, that any denial of Supplemental Security Income benefits based solely on residence in any territory or possession of the United States is constitutional or is valid or enforceable on any ground, including that any such denial of such benefits based solely on residence in any territory or possession of the United States would not violate the constitutional guarantee to equal protection of the laws.”.